
WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 1513 (W. 175)

CLEAN AIR, WALES

**The Smoke Control Areas (Exempted
Fireplaces) (Wales) Order 2015**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>8 July 2015</i>
<i>Laid before the National Assembly for Wales</i>	- -	<i>15th July 2015</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>11 August 2015</i>

The Welsh Ministers in exercise of the powers conferred upon the Secretary of State by section 21 of the Clean Air Act 1993⁽¹⁾ and now vested in the Welsh Ministers⁽²⁾ so far as exercisable in relation to Wales, and being satisfied that the fireplaces exempted by this Order can be used for burning fuel other than authorised fuels without producing any smoke or a substantial quantity of smoke, make the following Order:

(1) [1993 c.11](#).

(2) The relevant functions of the Secretary of State were, so far as exercisable in relation to Wales, transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by virtue of article 2 of, and Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 ([S.I. 1999/672](#)). Those functions are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers by virtue of section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 ([c.32](#)).